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In re Application

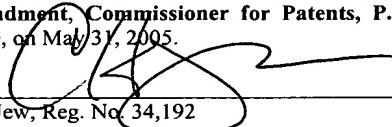
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Sir:

This Reply is made in response to the Office Action mailed on April 26, 2005. The Commissioner has been authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-1125 for any matter in connection with this application, including any fee for extension of time which may be required.

Amendments

Figure 2 has been amended; a replacement sheet is filed herewith.

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